

June 16, 2016

Mr. Clayton Moore 417 Dye Road Bell Buckle, TN 37020

Subject: Permit Tracking No. SOPC00135

Clayton Moore

Bell Buckle, Bedford County, Tennessee

Dear Mr. Moore:

I recently reviewed your renewal application for Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation (CAFO) permit coverage for your farm. This letter is to inform you that some issues need to be resolved before I can approve your Nutrient Management Plan (NMP) as required to issue your CAFO permit. Essentially I need to receive the following items or information:

1. The map you provided shows multiple poultry bars (in your plan you indicated a decrease from 4 to 2 barns for production). Please label those you intend to use and those which have been closed as well as any additional storage barns, houses, sheds or other structures in the production area. I have enclosed a copy of the map you submitted; please write in labels and return to me.

Once each item above is addressed, you will have submitted all required elements of a CAFO permit application. Pending approval, a notice will be sent to the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) who will then issue the permit.

You are applying to renew a SPOC permit; however TDEC now offers a SOPCE permit that is for poultry operations that export 100% of manure. If you are exporting 100% of your manure and not spreading on any field, you will be issued SOPCE permit. With this permit type TDEC will need you to have appendix B and C regarding litter removal on file on site for each year of permit coverage. If you would **not** like to pursue the SOPCE permit, please contact me at the number below; all materials received thus far are sufficient to transfer to that permit type.

Assistance is available at your local Extension office and your local United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) office. If you have additional questions regarding permit requirements or how to fulfill



them, please feel free to contact me at 615-837-5489 or Sarah. Hovis@tn.gov. Thank you for your cooperation in this permitting process.

Sincerely,

Sarah Hovis

Environmental Specialist, CAFO Permitting

Enclosure

cc: Permit File

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